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Dearest Mother & Lottie:

I received your two letters this week, and sure were glad to hear from you. I bet you really had a big time at the party, and would have given anything for all of us to have been there. I know it was wonderful.

We have only about a week more of these manuevers, then we leave for Camp Maxey, Texas. I sure will be glad to get out of these woods. It is hot and usually rains a lot here.

Lottie, you asked me what I wanted from New York. Well, I lost my fountainpen yesterday, and sure do need one bad. If you do get me one, please get an extra fine point, as I need afine point, and a broad point won't be of anyuse tome. So be sure it is real fine.

Got a card from Daddy today, and he had a meal at Kartzinel's home this week. Hesaid businessis fine.

No, I didn't get to go home as Ihad planned. A lot of work came up at the last minute; and we couldn't leave. I am hoping to get a furlough in September, and guess I will be home then.

Well, I guess that is about all for now, so be good, andwrite soon. Give my fondest regards to allof the folks, and Mother, please let Aunt Annie get in a word sideways for a change; maybe she has something to say. You shouldn't take all of the time talking; lethere talk for a change. Yes, I remember the Moeller boy, as he was apolitician, and belonged to the Alpha Sigma Phi, the house right across from the Law School. He was in Commerce school withme for a while. I thinkhe is from the West, isn't he?

Love,

Harold

The telephone of thegirl I gave you is listed under theaddress: 993 President St., as she has just moved. You will have tocall information for the Feldmans on President Street, and there areprobably a million of them.

HB.

Harold